PILOTAGE BILLIS LOST

House Defeats Measure by Vote of 164 to 110.

Wharton, of Illinois, Calls Samuel Gompers Names - Grosvenor and Legare in Tilt-Measure Been Before Congress for Quarter of a Century-Speaker Votes for It.

field bill to prohibit compuisory pilotage of coastwise sailing vessels permitted it to go down in defeat in the House yesterday. On a rising vote on its third readday. On a rising vote on its third reading, there were 127 ayes and 116 noes, but until to-day. on its final passage the call of the roll

The bill was taken up by unanimous agreement. It has been before Congress for twenty-five years, but the fight over it was never waged more bitterly than yesterday. Its title formally set forth the purpose of the measure to be "to remove discrimination against American sailing vessels in the coasting trade." It provided that the master or mate of such a vessel, when found to be skillful, tcustworthy, faithful, and intelligent, should be liceused as a pilot for a term of the Isthmian Canal Commission. of five years; no State license should be required of masters or mates thus licensed, and no discrimination in pilotage rates should be made by any State. But those engaged in the coasting trade to ran his discretion." take on a State pilot when entering clearing its ports should not be disturbed. Littlefield in Charge.

Representative Littlefield, of Maine, had charge of the bill, while Representaother side. The opposition of the American Federation of Labor to the bill was apparent throughout the debate of four The most striking remark came from Mr. Wharton, a Chicago representa-tive, who was defeated at the last elec-Per \$100 to \$5 Per \$100.

Proposed Levy Ranges from 75 Cents pines would be limited to two lines. The to report the bill as amended. In his capacity as "whip" of the House, tive, who was defeated at the last election by the labor vote, it is said. He deounced Samuel Gompers, president of

"It doesn't make any difference whether the attention of Congress.

it appeals to me as just.

to taxation for fire and police protection. Representative Brantley, of Georgia, said that should the bill become a law the blood, \$5 per \$100. pilotage system of Georgia would fall, for not being sufficiently fortunate to have enough foreign vessels to support the system, it must be sustained by fees where the legacy is less than \$10,000.

Bequests to rengal, the statistical of the meantime there are outside of the committee many conflicting currents of opinion in regard to the situation. A large number think that if the radical on coasting vessels

Grosvenor and Burton Criticise.

Gen. Grosvenor and Representative aboard vessels there, yet \$60,000 had been paid yearly in tribute for doing so.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau,
Washington, Thursday, Dec. 6, 1906.—3 p. m.
The Iowa storm of Wednesday night is now central over New England. It has caused high temperatures for the season in Atlantic coast districts and general rains from New England to the Carolinas Astronom.

Atlantic cast states Frida; Saturday will be fair, with slowly rising temperatures. In all other parts of the country fair weather is probable, except that snow or rain is probable in the western portion of the Mississippi Valley Saturday.

"The salary of itself might not attract a man who gave up a \$25,000 law practice

the Mississippi Valley Saturday.

The temperatures will rise in the Northwest.

The winds along the New England and Middle Atlantic coasts will be brisk to high northwesterly; on the South Atlantic coast fresh to brisk northwestcrly; on the Gulf coast fresh northwesterly; on the Gulf coast fresh to the Gulf coast fresh t

Storm warnings are displayed on the Atlantic coast from Hatteras to Eastport, and on the Lower Lakes and on the Pacific coast from Eureka north-

Temperatures in Other Cities. Temperatures in other cities, together with the amount of rainfall for the twelve hours ended at 8 p. m. yesterday, are as follows:

	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	fall.
Asheville, N. C	68	52	54	0.02
Atlanta, Ga	66	56	56	0.18
Atlantic City, N. J	52	40	50	0.01
Bismarck, N. Dak	**	-8	-4	
Bosten, Mass,	54	24	54	0.38
Buffalo, N. Y	50	26	26	0.04
Chicago, Ill	36	24	24	T.
Cincinnati, Ohio	58	34	34	T.
Cheyenne, Wyo	46	32	43	T.
Davenport, Iowa	32	12	12	T.
Denver, Colo	52	34	38	
Des Moines, Iowa	26	12	12	T.
Galveston, Tex	72	70	70	
Helena, Mont	30	26	30	T.
Indianapolis, Ind	46	32	32	T.
Jacksonville, Fla	76	50	70	****
Kansas City, Mo	34	22	22	****
Little Rock, Ark	52	43	48	
Marquette, Mich	40	10	10	0.24
Memphis, Tenn	54	44	44	
New Orleans, La	76	66	68	0.42
New York, N. Y	56	36	52	0.22
North Platte, Nebr	100	22		****
Omaha, Nebr	28	12	12	T.
Pittsburg, Pa	58	38	38	T.
Salt Lake City, Utah	52	32	46	
St. Louis, Mo		30	30	
St. Paul, Minn	20	2	- 2	0.02
Springfield, Ill		22	22	
Vicksburg, Miss	66	56	56	****

Grosvenor, in referring to the same port. In the new parlance, they mean they touched' her.'

Representative Legare, of South Caronet's nest by demanding that Representa tive Minor (Rep., Wis.), who had spoken favorably early in the debate, explain why he had changed his position on the UNION LABOR IN OPPOSITION bill during the last few years. Mr. Minor said it was largely because the War Department, the Navy Department, and the constituents of the gentleman from South Carolina had likewise changed. Forgery Charged.

Then Gen. Grosvenor read a long list of communications by title to show that the South Carolinians were in favor of the bill. Mr. Legare intimated these had been forged in South Carolina, "I'd be very sorry if there were in

South Carolina such a set of rascals," de-clared Mr. Grosvenor.

Absolutely in His Control, Cromwell, the New York corporation at- of peace. erable Alabamian called up in the Senate vere illness. These are William H. Flack, his resolution demanding that the Canal of New York, and Allan L. McDermott, of

owned every dollar of its stock. He characterized the dividend-paying bill it was specifically provided that State Secretary of War, in defending certain regulations requiring vessels other than operations, "argued with a zeal that out-

BILL FOR INHERITANCE TAX

lowed in Mr. Perkins' Measure.

Per \$100 to \$5 Per \$100. Some Exemptions.

The bill provides that any legacy or any labor organization has requested it or not," Mr. Fordney replied, "as long as distributive share arising from personal property which shall pass by will or in Representative Lamar (Dem., Fla.) de- testate laws and any personal property clared the bill was an attack on de- transferred by deed or otherwise made in fenseless American labor. He said that contemplation of the death of the grantor would not do Mr. Littlefield the in- shall be subject to the following rate of de would not do all. Little this bring-justice to say the rapidity of his bring-taxation to be paid to the United States: Decent serious cellision with American labor. Probably the scars of conflict had recent serious collision with American labor. Probably the scars of conflict had accontuated the movement to report the bill, he added.

Representatives from Southern States, is a descendant of a brother or sister, and the beneficiary is a lineal ancestor, members of the Merchant Marine Combustory of the lumber trade, or business of the lumber trade, or busines Small, of North Carolina, who spoke in favor of it, opposed the bill. In his opening remarks, Mr. Sherley declared that every State will abolish the pilotage system when it becomes plain that life system when it becomes plain that life grandfather or grandmother, or a de-and property will be safe within the scendant of the brother or sister of the brother or sister of the scendant of the brother or sister of the scendar or scen He claimed the fees were similar grandfather or grandmother, \$4 per \$100; of American commerce. The friends of cagaget in the landstation, conspiracy ation for fire and police protection, where the beneficiary shall be still further to believe that some one of them may be trust agreement, or contract intended to

Bequests to religious, literary, charita-

increase in the tax up to sums in excess of \$30,000,000 legacy, where the rate of the whole thing, and another failure. taxation is 25 per cent. The tax is to be worse than any hitherto, will be recorded Burton, both Republicans of Ohio, attacked the present system as providing tribute to monopolies in certain Southern harbors. Mr. Burton called attention particularly to the conditions at Norfolk, Va. For years not a pilot had gone aboard vessels there, yet \$60,000 had been tacked the present system as providing the provisions of the bill under the Internal Revenue Office, and the details of the administration of the measure are set forth in the bill, which further provides that where the entire amount of any estate subject to the inheritance tax shall exceed \$1,000,000, the together the provisions of the bill in the history of subsidy agitation. After such a disaster it would, in their opinion, take years to regain the lost advantage now reached by the President's advocacy of the scheme, and Secretary Root's incident the conditions at Norfolk, Va. For years not a pilot had gone aboard vessels there, yet \$60,000 had been together the internal Revenue of the following the collected by the provisions of the bill in the history of subsidy agitation. After such a disaster it would, in their opinion, take years to regain the lost advantage now reached by the President's advocacy of the scheme, and Secretary Root's incident the collected by the provisions of the bill in the history of subsidy agitation. After such a disaster it would, in their opinion, take years to regain the lost advantage now reached by the President's advocacy of the scheme, and Secretary Root's incident the collected by the provisions of the bill in the history of subsidy agitation. After such a disaster it would, in their opinion, take years to regain the lost advantage now reached by the President's advocacy of the scheme, and Secretary Root's incident the collected by the provisions of the bill in the history of subsidy agitation. commissioner of Internal Revenue is au- of the House emphatically refrain from thorized to grant extensions of the pay- calling what is sought to be accomplished ment of the tax, not to exceed three a "subsidy" measure. It is "subvention" years, the deferred payment to draw in- every time. terest at the rate of 6 per cent.

LANDIS WON'T DENY.

Talks of Story that He Is Candidate for Lyon's Job.

limas. A strong area of high pressure with zero temperatures overlies the Dakotas, and a second area of low pressure is moving inland over the North Pacific coast States.

Fair and much colder weather is indicated for the "The rumor that I am a candidate for jority.

a man who gave up a \$25,000 law practice generally, is afiald of the surplus that is positions; Mr. Cole (Rep., Ohio), Agriculconcede most of the lawyers in the House

"But, as Mr. Bryan has said, 'there are revision. Lakes high northwesterly, diminishing, and Upper Lakes fresh northwesterly.

But, as Mr. Bryan has said, there are other things than money in this world other things than money in this world surplus was, in round numbers, \$16,500,000.

\$4,600,000

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lina, after speaking of the shifting sands in Southern harbors, stirred up a horand Philippine Ships.

Restricted Subsidy Is Now in the Speaker Cannon Will Not Get in Its Way-Now More Favorable to Legislation-Two Courses Open.

There was a reconnoissance in first meeting of the session to take up the This was the only formal announce-

have before them two courses-one a des-

Indiana member has not been an advocate

he continued he would not permit this, however, to stand in his way of voting against the bill.

message to Congress. The measure, however, to stand in his way of voting ever, as Mr. Perkins explains, is not the direct outcome of the President's message to Congress. The measure, however, was the best path to a result. More important than this, however, was the authoritative statement current after the committee meeting that When Representative Fordney (Rep., Mich.) was speaking in favor of the bill, viction which he has had upon the sub-Representative Prince (Rep., Ill.) wanted to know if any labor organization had requested the passage of the bill.

Wetton which he has had upon the sales to ward the subsidy bid, and had said that while he would be opposed to the Senate bill, he would not be disposed to antagonize the restricted subsidy proposed.

A that while he would not be disposed to antagonize the restricted subsidy proposed. sition. The proposed compromise will call for about \$5,000,000 a year.

Still Fighting for Senate Bill. While half a loaf is better than none, the advocates of subsidy, who have been waging battle against great odds of public opinion for ten years past, are loath to give up the whole prize. To get a part of what they desire only whets the apcome over to the help of the majority. The bill then provides for a graduated large number think that if the radical

The Tariff View of It.

There was no little surprise at the announcement that Uncle Joe had apostawilling to seek some way to dispose of it and Militia. to anticipate a strengthening demand for

Maximum, 69; minimum, 37.

Relative humidity—8 a. m., .86; 2 p. m., .31; 8 p.

m., .56. Rainfall, 0.02. Hours of sunshine, 5.0. Per cede, cent of possible sunshine, 5.0.

Temperature same date last year—Maximum, 45; cheese left without a name."

age with which to pry loose the standpatters from their heretofore solid footing. If the government continues to collect more than it needs, what argument can the standpatters find for keeping the tariff the standpatters find for keeping the tariff wall so high? The only way out is to hit upon some scheme that will keep the worrisome surplus down. The ship-sub-sidy bill looks good to them. Once it gets its hooks into the Treasury surplus, it may be reasonably certain of checking that unhealthy swollen appearance. Uncle Joe, who holds the legislation of the Congressional session in the hollow of his hand, is seemingly somewhat persuaded. That the grandest standpatter of them all should thus capitulate is regarded as proof positive that the high tariff men realize the situation to be desperate, and only the most desperate of remedies will

promise a cure. This is the way the tariff revisionists discuss the matter. An Opening Wedge. Representative Hinshaw, a member of the Merchant Marine Committee, whose opposition had in part prevented the committee from reaching a vote, said yesterday that the subsidy advocates with their compromise, intended it only as an opening wedge. Their opposition will cost \$5,000,000 a year, he declared, and they will never rest content until they have all they want, an annual appropriation of \$59,890,000

Friends of the measure, feeling assured

that it will go through the House, and

that they will win over Speaker Cannon

accept the proposition. They rely upon the Senate forcing the House to take action by holding up House propositions, if the House leaders fail to change their

Indiana Delegation in Caucus. One of the important events of the day was a conference of the Indiana delegation in Representative Charles B.

Landis' committee room It was attended by all of the Republic can members from Indiana except Representative Elias S. Holliday. Those present were Representatives Watson. Foster, Chaney, Brick, Cromer, Fred. Landis, Charles B. Landis, Crumpacker. Grasp of House Leaders, and Overstreet, and Gilhams. Mr. Watson presided. All phrases of the ship-subsidy question were discussed, and the Hoosie Congressmen were in substantial accord in their views throughout the conference They chose Mr. Watson as their spokes man, and instructed him to say to the press representatives that they were Balking at going on record against organized labor, the friends of the LittleOhio published a paper telling about a yesterday on the subsidy bill. The House subsidy bill that is pending; that it can-

sion made it clear that the committee, as favor of the modified subsidy. Repreed, that he might vote in the affirma- Panama Railroad Declared to Be situation. The extreme friends of subsidy dent Harrison in one of his messages to Congress. The plan was for the government to contract on the best terms for The 'ong fight which Senator Morgan perate fighting chance, the other the derprincipal ports of South America, fixing torney, through several sessions of Congress was resumed yesterday. The venture who are kept at their homes by selines, to the Orient was proposed. The voluntary enlistment of the crews of the his resolution demanding that the Canal of New York, and Allan L. McDermott, of Several boats into the navy and the pro- verently imputed the crime of murder to vision that those who volunteer for naval the colored troops. Foraker was at him Legislative, Executive, and Judicial legislation is necessary to bring the Panama Railway Company within the control

ma Railway Company within the control of the Isthmian Canal Commission.

He charged that Cromwell's control of chances, in view of the President's recent subsidized boats are to be subject to im-He charged that Cromwell's control of the corporation was as absolute as if he utterance, in behalf of the bill, of getting time of war. The new plan eliminates the favor of the Speaker and passing the bill. the favor of the Speaker and passing the subsidies to interests which are already "It has been play the favor of the Speaker and passing the bill.

promise and take the half loaf of restrict- chant Marine Committee, when advised of testimony on which action was taken in promise and take the half loaf of restricted subsidy.

This alternative is so substantial that it has already been practically arranged. It appears as the proposition of Mr. Watson, of Indiana, and it is simply to allow the American transfer of the action of the Indiana delegation, with considerable reluctance relinquished his position of insistence on the pending measure, and informed the committee that he had prepared important amendments making it clear that the subsidies are to he arrived the action was taken in the case is the most incomplete, most unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which action was taken in this case is the most incomplete, most unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which and unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which action was taken in the action of the Indiana delegation, with considerable reluctance relinquished his position of insistence on the pending measure, and informed the committee that he had prepared important amendments making it clear that the subsidies are to he action was taken in the action of the Indiana delegation, with this case is the most incomplete, most unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which and position of insistence on the pending measure, and informed the committee that he had prepared important amendments making it clear that the subsidies are to he action was taken in the action of the Indiana delegation, with this case is the most incomplete, most unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which action was taken in the action of the Indiana delegation, with the case is the most incomplete, most unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which action was taken in the action of the Indiana delegation, with the case is the most incomplete, most unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which action was taken in the action of the Indiana delegation, with the case is the most incomplete, most unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which action of the Indiana delegation, with the case is the most incomplete, most unsatisfactory, and most filmsy on which action of the Indiana delegation, with t subsidy benefits only to American vessels be applied only to lines to South American this testimony and demonstrate what I Congressmen May Sit in Rooms and tive Sherley, (Dem., Ky.) led the other side. The opposition of the American and Philippine and to the Orient. Next Thursday the commerce with the elimination of subside committee will meet again to consider aged in Pan-American and committee will meet again to the america, with the elimination of subsidy the Grosvenor amendments. Mr. Watson, on steamship lines from Atlantic ports to Europe and Africa. Even the benefits to be held out to steamships to the Philipbe held out to steam held to st

rates, and admitting all other articles

AFTER LUMBER TRUST.

Senator Kittredge Offers Resolutions

report to Congress, or the President, apprehend any President would ever do movements that not until yesterday was when Congress is not in session, "as to that. But no President should have the it generally known that he has been conof American commerce. The friends of engaged in the manufacture or sale of emoved in relationship, or a stranger in to believe that some one of them may be trust agreement, or contract intended to able to see the light sufficiently well to operate in restraint of lawful trade or commerce in lumber, or to increase the

HAVE YOU A PACKAGE?

If So, Don't Try to Enter Capitol. The Police Won't Let You.

For the first time since the Spanish American war an order went into effect at the Capitol yesterday prohibiting any person from bringing parcels or packages into the building. While the officials in charge will not admit it, it is understood that the pres-ence in Washington of a number of the

discharged colored soldiers of the Twen- gress.' ty-fifth Infantry had something to do Senator Penrose took part in the dis-Said one distinguished member last with the issuance of the order, it being cussion with a force and precision of was speaking, persons stationed at the night, when asked what he thought of feared that an attempt might be made to phrases that greatly interested his colthe prospect: "My only anxiety is that blow up the Capitol building or to in-if they pass that thing they will call it jure some of the Senators or Repre-resolution he had in mind the controby some other name if I have got to vote sentatives. Although there are no evifor it." This remark would express the dences of any real occasion for alarm, feeling of a large proportion of the mait is a fact that extra precautions are President was the proper person and the being taken to insure protection.

New Committee Assignments. Speaker Cannon yesterday announce cised and agreed to any form of subsidy. the following committee assignments: The interpretation put upon it is that the Mr. Gilhams (Rep., Ind.), Revision of Speaker, in common with standpatters the Laws, and Industrial Arts and Ex-

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CALL FOR THE FACTS

Negro Troops to Have Defense in Senate.

MURDER CHARGE IS DENIED

President's Action in Discharging Men of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, and Calls the Evidence Flimsy and fice was crowded to the doors, and an Insufficient-Numerous Precedents, overflow meeting had to be held on the Insufficient-Numerous Precedents.

The Senate has asked for full information about the discharge of the colored League, who was sent to Brownsville to men of the Twenty-fifth Infantry. Both conduct an investigation of the matter. the Penrose and the Foraker resolutions measure.

No vote was taken, and no action was had as to a programme. Yet the discussion made it clear that the committee, as form made it clear that the committee, as form made it clear that the committee, as form and no action was had as to a programme. Yet the discussion made it clear that the committee, as form and not negroes, and he deform that was made, but the informal were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, after a spirited discussion led by Senator and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, and the Foraker resolutions were passed late yesterday afternoon, and the Foraker resolutions were pas ren and Culberson on the other, with an clared that the officers who found exshowed but 116 ayes and 164 noes. Speaker Cannon requested that his name be callter and Senator Spooner as to the im- picked up by citizens in the street erred memorial usages of the Senate as to the in their characterization. He claimed that phraseology or resolutions calling for in-formation from the President or his has carried on against William Nelson nier ressort of surrender with good terms pal ports of the United States and the Cabinet members. The debate has procooded for half an hour before a word that the officers who reported on the case was said on the merits of the case. Then Senator Carter, in trying to match

the reasoning of Senator Spooner, inadverently imputed the crime of murder to evidence to convince any jury in the appropriation bill, on which the House land that the shooting which constituted Appropriations Committee has been at the crime was done by the colored work for two weeks, will be reported to

The other course, and that which in all making large profits.

The other course, and that which in all making large profits.

Gen. Grosvenor, chairman of the Merthat such a declaration be made. The bill will be commenced. say.

Punished Without Trial.

prision of felony for concealing knowledge In his capacity as "whip" of the House, of the murder, and of perfury for swear-tion taken by him is the result of his conviction that it is a distinctly American States hold caucuses with a view to dethe American Federation of Labor. Wharton was opposed to the bill, but said if there was any reason why he would favor it, that reason was that "that arch demagogue and liar, that enemy of the President in his recent an inheritance tax along the line suggested by the President in his recent that restricted subsidy was the best path that restricted subsidy bill, the Senate shall pass the philippine tariff bill reducing the rates will insist, if the House passes the modified ships subsidy bill, the Senate shall pass the philippine tariff bill reducing the rates will on is that the House leaders will insist, if the House passes the modified ships subsidy bill, the Senate shall pass the philippine tariff bill reducing the rates will on its that the House leaders will insist, if the House passes the modified ships subsidy bill, the Senate shall pass the point and the House passes the modified ships subsidy bill, the Senate shall pass the provided for them in the House passes the modified ships subsidy bill, the Senate shall pass the provided for t the President acted was insufficient. Sen- churches in remote parts of the city.

go to the bottom of it.

of the Penrose resolution, which asked piece in order, to be heard at the other the President to send in the information, end of the wire, and it is not necessary the President to send in the information, "If not incompatible with the public interest." He said the condition was one imposed only on diplomatic matters, and Congress was entitled to full information. The successful the Herman of Representatives Mr. Turner of Representative the Foraker resolution.

Numerous Precedents.

number of precedents to show that Con-Senator Tillman, saying he noped the treatment of Secretary dictograph would properly perform its Taft in the newspaper reports, and said: work

President was the proper person and the only person to call on for the information. He said he had acted delibera ely and with due regard for a large colored troduced his resolution. Mr. Foraker interrupted to say that he retary of the Treasury.

did not introduce his resolution in a spirit of anger.

Mr. Foraker said he had not acted in a ed white men as well as colored. The President had no right to discharge oldiers in that way. If the President ould discharge a company in that way could disband the army. Why should congress raise an army if the President ould disband it at his will? He declared with emphasis that no man should be onvicted of a felony without trial.

To Visit St. Elizabeth's.

By invitation of Mr. Olcott, of New Fifty-seventh Congress. York, chairman of the special commit tee investigating conditions at the Gov-ernment Hospital for the Insane in the District of Columbia, Dr. Mabon, of Wards Island, and Dr. Smith, of Islip, heads of insane hospitals at those places, will visit St. Elizabeth's next Monday and inspect it. On Wednesday they will oe examined by the committee. This will and Mr. Olcott expects to file his report before the holidays.

Six-year Presidental Term.

Senator Cullom introduced a resolution yesterday proposing a constitutional mendment making the term of the President and Vice President six years, and eclaring both ineligible for a second term, either by election or succession. The bill came to Senator Cullom from the National Business League, of Chicago, It is asserted by the members of the league that the elections every four years disturb business, and that there should be a longer interval between campaigns.

To Consider Two-cent Bill.

The House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, at its meeting to-day, will consider Representative Sherman's bill to establish a uniform rate of 2 cents per mile on all interstate rail-

HOPE TO FORCE PRESIDENT.

Negroes Hold Meeting in New York and Adopt Resolutions.

New York, Dec. 6 .- No matter what action Congress shall take in the dismissal of the battalion of the Twenty-fifth Infantry by order of President Roosevell for "shooting-up" Browssville, Tex., the New York negroes intend to try and force the President to reconsider his ac-

At a meeting held to-night in St Mark's M. E. Church strong resolutions Swiator Foraker Denouncer the were adopted demanding that the action of the War Department be reversed.

Despite the fact that a drizzling rain was falling during the meeting, the edi-Speeches were made by all of the negro

preachers in New York, and by George Stewart made a report of what he had reputable citizens of Brownsville were prejudiced against the negro soldiers.

APPROPRIATION BILL TO-DAY.

Measure to Be Reported. The legislative, executive, and judicial

"It has been emphatically denied," in-sistel the Ohio Senator. "I am surprised House will adjourn this afternoon until bill will be commenced

DICTOGRAPH CARRIES SOUND

Hear All Speeches.

Instrument Given Trial Before Representatives and May Be Installed for the Benefit of Members

Senate laughing. Senator Culberson tried hear what is being said on the floors of to construe the statements of witnesses to show that the colored soldiers were the first to fire the shots that were heard the night of the riot, but Senator Foraker was more than a match for him in the analysis of the evidence and convinced the short of the continued to show that the statements of witnesses the House and Senate. People who haven't time to go to church may sit at home and hear the favorite minister deliver his Sunday sermon, and patients in hospitals may be cheered by hearing analysis of the evidence, and convinced hospitals may be cheered by hearing the Senate that the evidence on which music played and sung in halls or Providing for Investigation.

Senator Kittredge yesterday introduced a resolution looking to an investigation of the lumber trust.

The resolution directs the Secretary of Commerce and Labor to investigate and regiment and then a brigade? I do not believe in his providing to Commerce and Labor to investigate and regiment and then a brigade? I do not believe he has been in Washington a day or two, because the Commerce and Labor to investigate and regiment and then a brigade? I do not believe he has been in Washington a day or two, because the city. The appliance which makes all these wonderful things possible is called the dictograph, and it was invented by Mr. Turner, of New York. Mr. Turner has been in Washington a day or two, because the city.

Senator Spooner objected to the form for one to talk directly into its mouth-

ion on all other questions. He favored the House of Representatives Mr. Turner placed his transmitting apparatus, which is a disk not larger than a small saucer Senator Lodge defended the Penrose on Speaker Cannon's desk, and led th resolution and read from a scrapbook a wires out into the lobby. It was after number of precedents to show that Congress had frequently, in calling for in- Representative Herbert Parsons, of New were still on the floor. Among them was ormation on other than diplomatic mat- York. Mr. Parsons occupied a seat some ters, made use of the phrase, "if not in- distance from the Speaker's desk, and he compatible with the public interests." and others present were naturally in-Senator Tillman, saying he hoped the credulous when Mr. Turner told them

Finally, Mr. Parsons was prevalled on "The Secretary had deemed the matter to make a speech for the purpose of testdistance between the transmitting part of

MAY FRAME CURRENCY BILL.

Congress Will Possibly Meet De-

mand for More Elasticity. It is possible, although not alto constituency in Pennsylvania. He had no thought when he introduced his resolution that it would create the mental dissession of Congress to meet the incurrency bill will be framed at this session of Congress to meet the inturbance it had with some of his col-leagues. The Senator from Ohio, he thought, had shown great "anguish" over to come to Congress, as the press will piling up in the Treasury, and is finally ture; Mr. Bannon (Rep., Ohio), Judiciary the promptness with which he had ingestions of the President and the Sec-

> It can be stated as a point already decided upon, however, that if any cur "I said 'anguish' not 'anger,'" said Mr. rency legislation is framed, it will be of the most conservative character.

The Finance Committee of the Senate spirit of anger or anguish. He did not consider it a race question, as it concerning the subject and it is a fact the ered the subject, and it is a fact that the chairman, Senator Aldrich, has not even been made acquainted with the terms of the plan approved by the bankers' association committee, to which he is so widely reported in the newspapers as being opposed.

So far as the dominating influence of the Finance Committee is concerned, it is known to look with favor upon the emergency bill presented by Chairman Aldrich in the closing hours of the

Would Bar Fraud Advertisements Representative Reed (Rep., Ill.)' yesterday introduced a bill to prevent the trans portation through the mails of newspa pers, magazines, and other publications containing advertisements of remedies medicines, appliances, &c., which do not conclude the hearings on the subject, prove to be what the advertisement claims

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lington FORD-On Thursday morning, December 6, 1906, at 6:30 o'clock, at his residence, the Regina, 1214 I street, RUBEN FORD, of Goochland County, Va., in his sixty-third year. (Richmond papers please copy.)

McKENNA—On Tuesday, December 4, 1906, at 11 p. m., MARGARET, beloved wife of the late John McKenna. Funeral from her late residence, 1412 Thirty-fourth street northwest, Friday morning, December 7, at 8.30 o'clock; thence to Holy Trinity Catholic Church, where requirem was will be add for the McKENNA-On Tue Church, where requiem mass will be said for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment in Holy Rood Cemetery, (Cumberland and Pittsburg papers please copy.)

dence, 1720 Florida avenue northwest, beloved husband of Margaret E. Quinn, Notice of funeral herafter. REILLEY-On Wednesday, December 5, 1306, JO-SEPH A., beloved husband of Katie Deignan Reilley, of 704 C street southwest. Notice of funeral hereafter.

QUINN-On Thursday, December 6, 1906, at his resi-

RYAN-On Thursday, Docember 8, 1906, at 3:45 a.
m., at New Orleans, La., Mrs. ELLEN, beloved
wife of the late Cornelius Ryan.
Remains will arrive in Washington on Saturday
morning, December 8, and be taken to the residence of her sister, Mrs. McGee, 1913 New Hampshire avenue. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SMITH—On Thursday morning, December 6, 1906, at 6:39 o'clock, JANE SMITH, mother of Henry Washington Smith and Blanche Gray Rogers. Funeral Saturday, December 8, at 3 o'clock, from the house of her son-in-law, 1745 Park road, Relatives and friends invited. Interment in Congre

SULLIVAN-On Tuesday, December 4, 1906, at 6:25 p. m., JOHN R., beloved son of Nora and the late Redmond Sullivan. Funcral from his late residence, 1142 Twenty-third street northwest, on Friday, December 7, at \$30 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Stephen's at 9 o'clock a.m. Relatives and friends invited.

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